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EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS

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V.

18 U.S.C. § 1347

BRIAN T. NICHOL, M.D.

<u>INFORMATION</u>

THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY CHARGES THAT:

COUNT 1

From in or about January 2005 through on or about April 19, 2006, in the Eastern District of Arkansas,

BRIAN T. NICHOL, M.D.

knowingly, by means of deliberate ignorance, and willfully executed a scheme and artifice to defraud Medicare and the Arkansas Medicaid program, both health care benefit programs, and to obtain by means of fraudulent pretenses and representations any of the money under the custody and control of Medicare and the Arkansas Medicaid program, both health care benefit programs; to wit, the Defendant made false certifications in the claims he submitted to Medicare and the Arkansas Medicaid Program under the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) code 95990.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1347.

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